

TAILOR MADE CLOTHING. SPECIAL LINES FOR SPRING. GARDINER & BAXTER.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

The builders' and traders' exchange is figuring on plans for a four-story brick block to be erected by S. L. Fuller on Canal street, between Hastings and Townsend streets.

The Jolly Eleven boating club contemplates giving the members of the press an excursion down the river shortly in their little craft, the Direct.

The opening hop of the season was given at Ottawa Beach hotel last evening. Several young people from here were in attendance.

Justice Hyndora rendered twelve judgments and performed two marriages yesterday as the last day's work of his term of office.

The receipts of the internal revenue office for June were \$41,924.72; \$4,068.33 came from beer stamps and \$6,204.75 from cigar stamps.

The Rev. S. T. Husted during the last year has preached sixty-three burial sermons and has married forty-six couples.

Howard Marsh and wife of Lyons and O. Barnes of Ionia are visiting Mrs. J. C. McQuillen and daughter of Third street.

David L. McLeod and Miss Emma R. Burwell were married by Justice Hyndora yesterday at his office.

Marius McGurran, who is in charge of plumbing work on the world's fair building, is in the city.

The funeral of Leo Harry will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday at No. 82 South Division street.

Yesterday's heavy rain caused a dangerous washout opposite No. 701 South Division street.

S. J. Osgood has prepared plans for Lumberman McKinnon's palatial new home at Shelby.

Two games of baseball will be played by the amateur league at Outing park tomorrow.

Electric cars will run to the lake every two minutes tomorrow.

Fred Belcher of Charlotte is visiting friends in the city.

CHURCH AND SOCIETY.

At Trinity church, "The Nation's Needs Today," will be discussed by the following speakers: Willis Perkins, Edwin Burfoot, J. B. McMahon, W. D. Fuller.

Sermons in St. Mark's fifth ward Episcopal mission will be omitted today, to enable the members to attend the funeral of the late Charles Livingston.

The services and sermons in St. Mark's church today will be appropriate for the patriotism of the season. Special music.

Owing to the death of Charles Livingston the annual Fourth of July picnic will not be given by the fifth ward mission.

St. Mark's church resumes its Sunday

evening service and sermon this 7:30 p.m.

Railroad Notes.

The train on the G. R. & I., formerly leaving at 10:30 p.m., has been changed to 10:40, and train No. 7, leaving at 4:15 p.m., has shortened the time between this place and Cadillac 20 minutes.

F. L. Maybury, of the G. R. & I., returned yesterday from Cincinnati. He says the people there are rapidly leaving for the resorts, although some are waiting for better weather.

F. A. Barber of the C. & W. M. office, accompanied by his wife, is in Sturgis for a few days.

F. V. Davis of the C. & W. M. and D. L. N., is in Chicago. Mrs. Davis is with him.

Burial Permits.

Samuel R. Harper, 1, Hastings, Mich., inflammation of the stomach, Valley City; William Vander Hof, 71, No. 136 South Lafayette street, asthma, Byron township; Charles Livingston, 56, corner of Ionia and Pleasant streets, fracture of the skull, Oak Hill.

Contagious Diseases.

Willie Smith, 4, No. 233 Lagrange street, diphtheria; Clarence Merritt, 17, No. 40 Sherman street, scarlet fever; Florence Spears, 5, No. 635 Madison avenue, scarlet fever.

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last published, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and ages of the parties:

Names	Residence	Ages
Clarence C. Stocking, Jefferson, Wis.		25-23
Elizabeth M. Spencer, Solog Center		25-23
Herbert A. Woodruff, Myrtle L. Russell		25-23
Charles R. Barrett, Kent City; Lulbertha Chapman, Byron		25-23
Frank Van Pelt, Jan Van Dyke		25-23
Willie D. Chrysler, Jennie M. Palmer		25-23
con county; Mary E. Eggleston, Muskegon county; Mary E. Eggleston, Muskegon		25-23
Willie E. Austin, Wyoming; Estelle M. Wells		25-23
George R. Oimstead, Cascade; Jennie E. Bradish		25-23
Joseph Fisher, Clara Louise Altman		25-23
David L. McLeod, Aus; Emma R. Burwell		25-23
Andrey Skosky, Eva Milanowski		25-23

DIED.

MARGOLD—Yesterday, at her residence, Mary Margold, wife of John Margold, from consumption, aged 39 years and 11 months. Funeral services from the family residence, No. 109 Broadway, Monday at 2 p.m.

E. G. Cherrman, funeral director, No. 23 Fountain street.

To Cleanse the System

Effectually, yet gently, when constive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers, use Syrup of Figs.

Don't come in through the window when you catch sight of our splendid display of spring bargains, but just drop in by way of the door and let us show you the finest line of strictly first class reliable and stylish clothing you ever saw. The Buffalo Clothing company, No. 85 Canal street.

This Is No 4th of July Explosion.

But when I see I have got about twenty lots facing on Division street, Horton street, Francis and Jefferson avenues, owned by a non-resident, and must be sold at once, I mean just what I say. The South Division street car line is being built and will soon be running to these lots. My instructions are to sell, and if you have any specu-

lative turn of mind, come and make an offer on these lots.

WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS, No. 6 Canal street.

If you are in need of a nobby, stylish pair of pants for the Fourth, do not forget to drop in to the Buffalo Clothing House and see what they can do for \$5.50 and \$5.00.

White & White sell fine toilet soaps.

Go to Church

Today and on the 4th of July and all of the week you can find bargains in vacant lots or in houses and lots by calling at my office.

WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS, No. 6 Canal street.

The Buffalo Clothing Co., 85 Canal street, has the finest line of working-men's pants to be found in the city at \$8c. Look them over.

The Fourth of July.

I would like to say all of the people that have houses and lots for sale or exchange, or any one that is looking for a home or a good investment in vacant lots.

WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS, No. 6 Canal street.

The Buffalo Clothing Co., 85 Canal street, has a large line of children's two-piece suits that they are selling for \$1.62. Don't fail to look them over.

White & White sell the best perfumes.

Independence Day at the Lake.

Reed's Lake as usual is going to amuse its patrons on Sunday and Monday, the 3d and 4th. At 4 p.m., July 3, there will be a balloon ascension, and on the 4th there will be a balloon ascension with parachute drop at 4:30 p.m. Then there will be fireworks at 8:30 p.m. There are no suburban resorts like ours for enterprise.

Ice G. R. Ice and Coal company. Telephone 159.

The Michigan Central

Will run special trains from the Union Passenger Station to the running races at Kent Park July 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, leaving at:

Train	7:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	1:30 p.m.
7:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	1:30 p.m.	
10:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	2:30 p.m.	
12:00 noon	1:40 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	
12:20 p.m.			

Returning every twenty minutes after 12:00 noon until 3:00 p.m., and also after the races. Fare for the round trip, 15 cents; single trip, ten cents. Purchase your tickets at the Union Passenger Station and at the Kent Station. Full fare will be charged on trains.

FAXE M. BRIGGS, General Agent.

If you want to catch the correct time of your horses, get your split second and quarter second watches repaired by expert workmen at the oldest established house in the city. R. D. Carsten's, No. 44 Canal street.

G. R. & I. R. R.

July 4th.

One fare for the round trip between all stations. Tickets on sale July 2nd, 3rd and 4th, good for return until July 5th.

AMUSEMENTS.

EDMOND GRAND OPERA HOUSE

BRADY & GARWOOD, Lessees and Managers.

ONE WEEK (Commencing) JULY 3 SUNDAY

Saturday Matinee Only.

CHAS. A. LODER,

In the Great Comedy Novelty,

WHAT A NIGHT!

Introducing the English Marvels, THE SISTERS GENNELLE.

Prices as usual—10c, 25c, 50c and 50c. Saturday Matinee, 5c, 10c and 25c.

BICYCLES!



For two weeks beginning June 27, we will offer special inducements on Bicycles. Now is your opportunity. Call and see us.

STUDLEY & BARCLAY,

4 Monroe Street.

P. S.—Our stock of Hammocks and Tennis Goods is complete.

WE DO SLEEP!

YES, WE DO,

"But it is in the witching hour of night," etc., etc. How exhaustive it must be to "never sleep." One must naturally get "very tired." We must acknowledge the corn, but nevertheless we want your foot trade, your coal trade, also Lime, Cement, etc.

A. B. KNOWLSON,

25 PEARL STREET.

VOIGT, HERPOLSHEIMER & CO.

Wholesale and Retail.

Dry Goods, Carpets, Cloaks, Dress Goods, Silks, Gingham, Hosiery, Trimmings, Underwear, Cloths, Flannels, Gents' Furnishings, etc., etc.

Our different departments are always filled with the choicest goods in the market, and our prices guaranteed the lowest, consistent with good goods.

VOIGT, HERPOLSHEIMER & CO.

78, 80 and 82 MONROE.

THE Fountain-st. Livery,

Hack and Boarding Stables,

Cor, Fountain and Ionia-sts.

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Swick & Kelso Piano

A Piano not for a day, but for a life time. A Piano that will sing its own praise. Every note is as clear as a bell. Every chord in perfect harmony. Every part evenly balanced. The piano must be seen and heard to be appreciated.

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ADOLPH LEITELT,

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NICHOLS' LUMBER DRYER. LESLIE'S IMPROVED VENEER CUTTER. Live steam exhaust steam. Hot Blast Apparatus for heating factories, dry kilns, iron pipes, furnaces, valves, etc. Improved Government. Iron and Brass Castings. Building Contractors.

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CONSTANT REDUCTIONS IN PRICE!

WHERE WILL YOU FIND such a variety of stock and such useful goods? We "Squeeze" the Factories for your benefit, and get the last drop of low prices. We buy the largest quantities for Spot Cash. Our prices are a constant surprise to dealers as well as to the consumers. Novelties from Europe as well as America are laid at your doors, and everything bought direct from the manufacturers. Look at the margins of this page and see our offers to you for this week. In Silver Novelties, in Wedding Presents, in Cut Glass, in Sterling Silver. We are showing great additions to our stock, at new prices lower than ever. Don't miss it.

H. LEONARD'S SONS & CO.,

29 AND 31 MONROE ST.

Ten Pin Hat or Coat Racks. With Porcelain Knobs, folding. Every room in every house is in want of them. 10c Four Pin Racks 5c Magie Coat Hangers. For travelers and others; nickel plated, sliding frame; takes up no room when not in use. 10c Madam Louis Hair Crimper "Common Sense" is the correct name of this useful article. 2 doz. Crimpers for 5c Natural Stone Filter. Our "Success" Filter is the best and simplest. Filters the water, filters the dirt, filters the impurities on the surface. You can see the dirt, and you can see the water. 4.95 Blocks only, with fittings. 1.75 Cooking Crock. Made in a trimmed iron frame with belt and cover, 8 qt., largest size. 37c This is the best preserving and cooking utensil known in the trade, as it is always clean and nothing can be burned. Water Coolers. 8 gal. Most Fancy Decorated Cooler. 1.87 Above line slightly soiled but warranted as good as new. Others at every price. Towel Holders. Nickel plated. Simplest and best. 8c Hammocks. Fourteen foot Mexican Hammocks. 65c Others at every price. A beautiful line at our well known "Bargain Price." Screen Doors. We thought we could never get enough for our customers at 87c All sizes now in stock, both for windows and doors. Dinner Sets. In the best English ware, elegantly decorated. 7.19 Were making a run on them and hope to clear out the lot left out of the bargain. We have hundreds of other patterns just as good values. Cork Screws. Best imported steel, double curved handles. 4c Power Fruit Press. On half horse power, good size. 3.17 Others are smaller and larger. No balance wheel and can be worked by a child. Former price \$5.00 each. Combination Wine and Jelly Press. Galvanized iron, crank power, mounted to do every sort of work pressed in families or hotels. Two sizes of strainers. 2.73 Crank Meat Cutter. TO FASTEN ON ANY TABLE. Does not grind the meat like other cutters, but chops it precisely like the chopping process of a pair of shears. Fibers or gristle can not pass through without cutting. Splendid for sausage meat, mince meat, Hamburg made, chicken coarsening, and many other uses. 1.83 Porcelain Lined Kettle. Just what you need for preserving, at our well known "Closed price." All other sizes to 50c. Others will ask you one-half more. 22c Iron Meat Pounder and Chopper. Solid iron body, mounted in every family for meat prices. 23c Retained Tea Kettle. Extra heavy made, shiny handle. 70c Copper bottom and sides, seamless spout; others from \$1.00 upward. Retained Bread Raiser. On retained iron stand, good size. 65c Thousands in use. Try one. Dinner Pails. Four quart, with compartment and lid. 20c Also our wonderfully pleasing folding Lunch Pail, 2 and 3 compartments. You can carry it in your pocket when closed. Street or Fishing Torch. Gasoline Torch; will not blow out. 1.47 Former price \$2.00. Japanese Lanterns. The Brilliant Basket Japanese Lantern, in Red, White and Blue. 3c Others in fancy shades at 7 and 10c Butter Stamps. Carved with fancy figures. 5c Others at 10 and 15c each. Hair Curlers. Ebony Handle, bright and durable. 10c Others at 15c—extraordinary values. Hair Wavers. Five Frong—makes the most natural wave. 47c This is actually sold elsewhere at \$1.00 each. We show others at 25c. Family Solder and Iron. Do your own mending of tinware. Complete set in box. 23c Family Scales. Platform Scales, correct and very useful. 2.23 Balance Scales 5c. Fruit Sieves. 10 inch Wire Sieves, for fruits and lots of other purposes. 8c Corn or Rice Scrub Brush. Will outlast a 50c scrub. Feet cleaner on earth. 5c Curling Iron Heaters. Burns alcohol without smoke or smell. Just the size for lady travelers. Real value 15c. "Vim" Gasoline Toaster. For toasting bread and broiling meat. The only toaster that can be used over a flame. 23c Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons. All nickel plated, will never rust, the plates worth \$1.00 per set. 95c Shirt Polisher. "Resilient" Patent Wood Handle. Will polish shirt become in laundry style. 47c Vesuvius Gas Stove. Will heat anything but ice in one minute over a common fire (worth 10c) 15c "Rival" Egg Beater. Exactly the same motion as the chicken beat "Dover." 8c This is a job lot purchase and cannot be duplicated. Wood Salt Boxes. The only complete to keep salt in this damp weather (worth 10c) 30c
